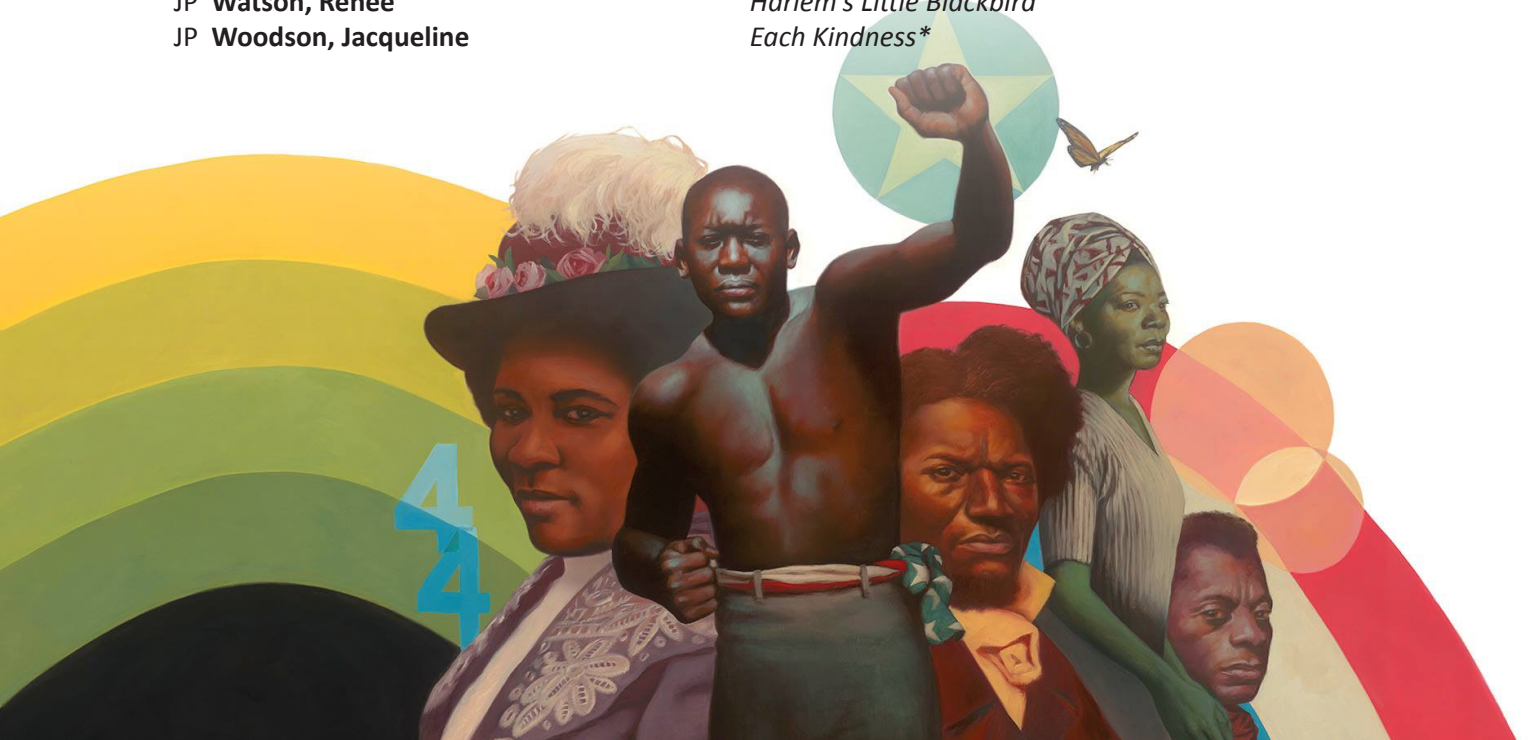


# Black Lives Matter:

## A Reading List for Children and Families

### Easy Readers & Picture Books

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| JP Alexander, Kwame        | <i>The Undefeated</i>   |
| JP Barnes, Derrick D.      | <i>Crown: An Ode to the Fresh Cut</i>                           |
| JP Briere-Haquet, Alice    | <i>Nina: Jazz Legend and Civil Rights Activist Nina Simone</i>  |
| JP Britt, Paige            | <i>Why Am I Me?</i>   |
| JP Browne, Mahogany L.     | <i>Woke Baby</i>  |
| JP Byers, Grace            | <i>I Am Enough*</i>   |
| JP Cherry, Matthew         | <i>Hair Love*</i>   |
| JP Clark-Robinson, Monica  | <i>Let the Children March*</i>                                  |
| JP Cooper, Floyd           | <i>Juneteenth for Mazie</i>                                     |
| JP Doyon, Samara Cole      | <i>Magnificent Homespun Brown*</i>                              |
| JP Evans, Shane            | <i>We March</i>   |
| JP Hooks, Bell             | <i>Skin Again</i>   |
| JP Johnson, Dinah          | <i>Black Magic</i>  |
| JP Joy, Angela             | <i>Black is a Rainbow Color</i>                                 |
| JP Katz, Karen             | <i>The Colors of Us</i>   |
| JP Manushkin, Fran         | <i>Happy in Our Skin</i>  |
| JP McDaniel, Breanna J.    | <i>Hands Up!</i>  |
| JP Miller, Sharee          | <i>Don't Touch My Hair</i>                                      |
| JP Myers, Walter Dean      | <i>Looking Like Me*</i>   |
| JP Nelson, Vaunda Micheaux | <i>The Book Itch*</i>   |
| JP Nyong'o, Lupita         | <i>Sulwe</i>  |
| JP Perkins, Useni Eugene   | <i>Hey Black Child</i>  |
| JP Pinkney, Andrea Davis   | <i>Sojourner Truth's Step-Stomp Stride</i>                      |
| JE Platt, Christine        | <i>A Day at the Museum*</i>                                     |
| JP Reynolds, Aaron         | <i>Back of the Bus</i>  |
| JP Ringgold, Faith         | <i>We Came to America</i>                                       |
| JP Viña, Rosa              | <i>Ice Breaker: How Mabel Fairbanks Changed Figure Skating*</i> |
| JP Watson, Renee           | <i>Harlem's Little Blackbird</i>                                |
| JP Woodson, Jacqueline     | <i>Each Kindness*</i>   |





This is for the  
undefeated.  
This is for you.  
And you.  
And you.

This  
is  
for  
us.

## Fiction

J Frank, Steven  
J Stone, Nic  
J Williams, Alicia  
J Williams-Garcia, Rita

*Armstrong & Charlie\**  
*Clean Getaway*  
*Genesis Begins Again*  
*One Crazy Summer\**

## Nonfiction

J PARENT 305.8 Higginbotham, Anastasia  
J 305.8 Lester, Julius  
J 306.846 Alko, Selina  
J 323.092 Michelson, Richard  
  
J 323.092 Weatherford, Carole Boston  
J 323.1196 Pinkney, Andrea Davis  
J 323.1196 Shelton, Paula Young  
J 510.92 Shetterly, Margot Lee  
J 608 Abdul-Jabbar, Kareem  
and Raymond Obstfeld  
J 770.92 Weatherford, Carole Boston  
J 792.8 Powell, Patricia Hruby  
J 811 Latham, Irene and Charles Waters  
J 92 D464 Warner, Jody Nyasha  
J 92 F8552 Woelfle, Gretchen  
J 92 H498 Levinson, Cynthia  
J 92 J82 Barton, Chris  
  
J 92 L965 Rhuday-Perkovich, Olugbemisola  
J 92 X2 Shabazz, Ilyasah  
J 920.72 Harrison, Vashti  
J 973.0496 Smith, Jr., Charles R.

*Not My Idea: A Book About Whiteness*  
*Let's Talk About Race*  
*The Case for Loving: The Fight for Interracial Marriage*  
*As Good As Anybody: Martin Luther King Jr., and  
Abraham Joshua Heschel's Amazing March Toward Freedom*  
*Voice of Freedom: Fannie Lou Hamer, Spirit of the Civil Rights Movement\**  
*Sit-In: How Four Friends Stood Up by Sitting Down*  
*Child of the Civil Rights Movement*  
*Hidden Figures: The True Story of Four Black Women and the Space Race\**  
*What Color is My World? The Lost History of African-American Inventors\**  
  
*Gordon Parks: How the Photographer Captured Black and White America\**  
*Josephine: The Dazzling Life of Josephine Baker*  
*Can I Touch Your Hair? Poems of Race, Mistakes, and Friendship\**  
*Viola Desmond Won't Be Budged\**  
*Mumbet's Declaration of Independence\**  
*The Youngest Marcher*  
*What Do You Do With a Voice Like That?: The Story of Extraordinary  
Congresswoman Barbara Jordan*  
*Someday Is Now\**  
*Malcolm Little: The Boy Who Grew Up to Become Malcolm X*  
*Little Leaders: Bold Women in Black History*  
*28 Days: Moments in Black History That Changed the World*

\*Also available on hoopla  
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